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Calvin Meyers of Carlsbad has been visiting Lovington the past few days.

Mac Fletcher has bought some mares recently to stock his ranch under the caprock.

BU MARKLEY HURT.

Bud Markley was seriously hurt while riding a bronch at Dow Wood's Tuesday. The horse ran through a wire gate catching its front feet in the wire and throwing both horse and rider very hard.

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